GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT
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Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a): the districts in which Indira Gandhi Matritva Sahyog Yojana is being implemented in the country, particularly in Odisha, State/UT-wise;
(b): whether the beneficiaries receive direct financial benefit under this Yojana and if so, the details thereof;
(c): whether the Government proposes to extend the maternity benefit under the Yojana to other districts of the States in the country, particularly in Odisha; and
(d): if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT
(SHRIMATI KRISHNA RAJ)

(a): The Indira Gandhi Matritva Sahyog Yojana (IGMSY) is being implemented in 53 selected districts across the country, including two (2) districts of Odisha namely, Bargarh and Sundargarh. The State/UT-wise details of districts covered is Annexed.

(b): Yes, Madam. The Ministry of Women and Child Development releases funds under IGMSY to States/UTs. The States/UTs then directly transfer the financial/maternity benefit to the bank/post office account of the beneficiary.

(c) & (d): The proposal to extend the maternity benefit under IGMSY to other districts across the county is under consideration in the Ministry.
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Annexure